

THE ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

The Eastern and Western Passages of the Collins, Cunard, Bremen, Havre, Glasgow, Antwerp and Hamburg Lines of Steamships, for the Year 1856—Number of Passengers, Sec., &c.

The following tables exhibit the time occupied in making the eastern and western passages during the past year, of the Collins and Cunard lines of New York and Liverpool steamships; as also of the following lines, viz.—the German, Boston, Halifax and Liverpool; the New York, Southampton and Bremen; the New York, Southampton and Havre; the Glasgow and New York; (two lines); the Antwerp and New York, and the Hamburg and New York. The total number of passengers conveyed by each line is also shown.

The commencement of the past year was ushered in with the loss of the Collins steamer Pacific, which sailed from Liverpool on the 23d of January for New York, with fifty passengers, and was never afterwards heard of; and but a few weeks since we were called on to record the loss of another steamer, the Lyonsia, when but a few hours out from this port. The place of the Pacific was first supplied by the Quaker City, which made one voyage, and then by the Ericsson, which has since continued in the line. With the above exceptions, all the steamship lines between this country and Europe have been prosperous, and have made their voyages with great regularity.

The Philadelphia and Liverpool line of screw steamships, composed of the City of Baltimore, City of Manchester, City of Washington, and Kangaroos, commenced running last spring, and have continued up to this time with the utmost punctuality. Their passages will compare favorably with any of the other lines of steamers. The shortest passage was made by the City of Baltimore, from Philadelphia to Liverpool, which was accomplished in eleven days and twenty-one hours. The average number of passengers by this line each trip, has been about three hundred.

A new line of screw steamships has been established during the past year to run between Liverpool, St. John's, N. F., Halifax and Portland, the first steamer of which, the Kersherose, sailed from Liverpool on the 23d of August, and arrived at Portland on the 12th of September, bringing one hundred and fifty passengers.

A line of screw steamships, composed of the North American, Anglo-Saxon, Indian Canadian and Sardinian, have been running between Liverpool and Quebec during most of the past year, and have a number of times brought us late intelligence from Europe.

A French line of screw steamers, to run between Havre, Martinique and New Orleans, has lately been established, two of which, the Alme and Francois Arago, have arrived at the latter port.

In addition to the above, an irregular line of steamers, known as the New York and Boston, and composed of the Ensign, Algo and Tropic, have been running down the greater part of the coast between New York and Havre.

The steamship Tennessee, which was running between the city of New Orleans, N. O., after making a few voyages to the West Indies, has since been run

in connection with the Texas between this city and New Orleans, and San Juan, Nicaragua.

We now proceed to give the passages of the different lines of steamers, commencing with the

COLLINS STEAMERS.

EASTERN PASSAGES.

Name.	Left New York.	Arr'd at Liverpool.	Length of Passage.	D. H. M.
Atlantic	Dec. 12, 12	Jan. 25	11—10	00
Baltic	Oct. 27, 12	Jan. 15	9—20	00
Atlantic	Jan. 19, 12	Feb. 15	11—20	00
Baltic	Feb. 2, 12	Mar. 12	13—11	00
Atlantic	Mar. 12, 12	Apr. 12	13—11	00
Baltic	April 12, 12	May 12	13—11	00
Atlantic	May 12, 12	June 12	13—11	00
Baltic	June 12, 12	July 12	13—11	00
Atlantic	July 12, 12	Aug. 12	13—11	00
Baltic	Aug. 12, 12	Sept. 12	13—11	00
Atlantic	Sept. 12, 12	Oct. 12	13—11	00
Baltic	Oct. 12, 12	Nov. 12	13—11	00
Atlantic	Nov. 12, 12	Dec. 12	13—11	00
Total time of 13 eastern passages.....	174			
Average time of each passage.....	13			

has detained over from 20th by low water.

WESTERN PASSAGES.

Each passage of the Atlantic, put into Cork, and sailed from that port Jan. 12, 1856.

(a) Was detained below 24 hours by fog.

(b) Put into Bantry.

CUNARD STEAMERS—BOSTON BRANCH.

EASTERN PASSAGES.

Name.	Left Liverpool.	Arr'd at Boston.	Length of Passage.	D. H. M.
Canada	Dec. 22, 12	Jan. 11	8—20	00
America	Jan. 5, 12	Feb. 12	11—15	00
Canada	Jan. 19, 12	Feb. 19	12—15	00
America	Feb. 2, 12	March 1	12—15	00
Canada	Feb. 19, 12	March 19	12—15	00
America	March 1, 12	April 1	12—15	00
Canada	March 15, 12	April 15	12—15	00
America	April 12, 12	May 12	12—15	00
Canada	May 12, 12	June 12	12—15	00
America	June 12, 12	July 12	12—15	00
Canada	July 12, 12	Aug. 12	12—15	00
America	Aug. 12, 12	Sept. 12	12—15	00
Canada	Sept. 12, 12	Oct. 12	12—15	00
America	Oct. 12, 12	Nov. 12	12—15	00
Canada	Nov. 12, 12	Dec. 12	12—15	00
Total time of twenty seven western passages.....	368	30	00	
Average time of each passage.....	13			

(a) Anchored in Light house Channel 13 hours.

(b) Took place of America, which sailed 6th and returned to Liverpool.

BREMEN STEAMERS.

EASTERN PASSAGES.

Name.	Left New York.	Arr'd at Southampton.	Length of Passage.	D. H. M.
Washington	Dec. 20, 12	Jan. 12	12—15	00
Herman	Jan. 20, 12	Feb. 12	12—15	00
Washington	Feb. 20, 12	March 12	12—15	00
Herman	March 20, 12	April 12	12—15	00
Washington	April 20, 12	May 12	12—15	00
Herman	May 20, 12	June 12	12—15	00
Washington	June 20, 12	July 12	12—15	00
Herman	July 20, 12	Aug. 12	12—15	00
Washington	Aug. 20, 12	Sept. 12	12—15	00
Herman	Sept. 20, 12	Oct. 12	12—15	00
Washington	Oct. 20, 12	Nov. 12	12—15	00
Herman	Nov. 20, 12	Dec. 12	12—15	00
Total time of 13 eastern passages.....	174			
Average time of each passage.....	13			

WESTERN PASSAGES.

Each passage of the Bremen, put into Cork, and sailed from that port Jan. 12, 1856.

(a) Anchored in Light house Channel 13 hours.

(b) Took place of America, which sailed 6th and returned to Liverpool.

CUNARD STEAMERS—BOSTON BRANCH.

EASTERN PASSAGES.

Name.	Left Liverpool.	Arr'd at Boston.	Length of Passage.	D. H. M.
Canada	Dec. 22, 12	Jan. 11	8—20	00
America	Jan. 5, 12	Feb. 12	11—15	00
Canada	Jan. 19, 12	Feb. 19	12—15	00
America	Feb. 2, 12	March 1	12—15	00
Canada	Feb. 19, 12	March 19	12—15	00
America	March 1, 12	April 1	12—15	00
Canada	March 15, 12	April 15	12—15	00
America	April 12, 12	May 12	12—15	00
Canada	May 12, 12	June 12	12—15	00
America	June 12, 12	July 12	12—15	00
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America	Aug. 12, 12	Sept. 12	12—15	00
Canada	Sept. 12, 12	Oct. 12	12—15	00
America	Oct. 12, 12	Nov. 12	12—15	00
Canada	Nov. 12, 12	Dec. 12	12—15	00
Total time of twenty seven western passages.....	368	30	00	
Average time of each passage.....	13			

(a) Anchored in Light house Channel 13 hours.

(b) Took place of America, which sailed 6th and returned to Liverpool.

CUNARD STEAMERS—NEW YORK BRANCH.

EASTERN PASSAGES.

Name.	Left Liverpool.	Arr'd at New York.	Length of Passage.	D. H. M.
Canada	Dec. 22, 12	Jan. 12	12—15	00
America	Jan. 5, 12	Feb. 12	12—15	00
Canada	Jan. 19, 12	Feb. 19	12—15	00
America	Feb. 2, 12	March 1	12—15	00
Canada	Feb. 19, 12	March 19	12—15	00
America	March 1, 12	April 1	12—15	00
Canada	March 15, 12	April 15	12—15	00
America	April 12, 12	May 12	12—15	00
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Canada	Sept. 12, 12	Oct. 12	12—15	00
America	Oct. 12, 12	Nov. 12	12—15	00
Canada	Nov. 12, 12	Dec. 12	12—15	00
Total time of twenty seven western passages.....	368	30	00	
Average time of each passage.....	13			

(a) Anchored at Sandy Hook 1 A. M.

(b) Put into Bantry.

CUNARD STEAMERS—BOSTON BRANCH.

EASTERN PASSAGES.

Name.	Left Liverpool.</th